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1. Under the first and Second Vice-Ministers of the Ministry of Chemical Industry there were seven main administrations altogether. Each of these main administrations had a staff of 20 to 40 people. These main administrations were all organized in approximately the same way [redacted]
2. The First Main Administration was organized as follows: it was divided into two branches, the Technical Branch and the Administrative Branch, each of which was headed by a deputy.
3. The Technical Branch, under the First Deputy, was subdivided as follows:
- a. The Technical Section (Technicky Odbor) was the operative section of the Main Administration, supervising and advising on the technological aspects of production.
 - b. The Section for Plant Construction (Oddeleni Vystavby) coordinated the planning for construction by the plants and factories subordinate to the Main Administration and, after construction was under way, supervised the construction in progress. This section also supervised the maintenance of power plants.
 - c. The Planning Section (Planovaci Odbor) was the link between the Planning Division of the Ministry and the planning sections of the plants and factories under the Main Administration. It supervised and coordinated the planning in the plants and factories and then drew up an over-all plan for the Main Administration and presented it to the Planning Division of the Ministry.

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4. The Administrative Branch, under the Second Deputy, was subdivided as follows:
- a. The Section of Finance Accounting (Oddeleni Finančního Učetního) was in charge of preparing the financial plan for the Main Administration. It also kept a periodic check on progress in fulfilling the financial plan.
 - b. The Section of General Accounting (Oddeleni Hlavního Učetního) handled the daily bookkeeping entries of the Main Administration.
 - c. The Supply Section (Zasobovací Oddelení) estimated the needs for materials, supplies, and equipment of the plants and factories under the First Main Administration and presented them to the Supply Branch of the Third Vice-Ministry. The Supply Section was the only section in the First Main Administration which presented the needs for materials to the Supply Branch; the plants and factories did not contact the Supply Branch of the Office of the Third Vice-Minister but had to go through this Supply Section.
 - d. The Wages and Labor Section (Oddelení pro Práci a Mzdy) supervised and coordinated the planning for wages and production norms for workers, the wages and labor sections in the plants and factories.
 - e. The Security Section (Oddelení Bezpečnosti) was responsible for the physical security of the First Main Administration and the plants and factories subordinate to the First Main Administration. It carried out its work for the First Main Administration as the Security Branch did for the Ministry. /For organization of this Ministry at the Ministerial level [redacted]
 - f. The Cadre Section (Oddelení Kádrové) performed functions for the First Main Administration similar to those the Cadre Division did for the Ministry. It did not operate schools for workers or approve passports for foreign travel, inasmuch as these functions were handled only by the Cadre Division of the Ministry.
5. The first three main administrations were under the supervision of the First Vice-Minister, Ing. (fnu) NEUMAN. [redacted] the names of the heads of these main administrations. The deputy for the Technical Branch of the First Main Administration was Chief Engineer (fnu) KLOUBEC. 25X1
6. The Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, and Seventh Main Administrations were under the supervision of the Second Vice-Minister, Dr. Ing. (fnu) SVAB. The Fourth Main Administration was headed by (fnu) BUDINSKY, the Fifth Main Administration by Ing. (fnu) ŠIPAL, the Sixth Main Administration by (fnu) JAVORIK, and the Seventh Main Administration by Ing. (fnu) PITONAKOVA.

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